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## **RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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In response to the Office Action mailed August 15, 2006 in the above-identified application, the Applicant respectfully submits the following.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.